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Agriculture(Food Production)Department.

Memorandum No. 21943/56-4 FP.II.B. dated the 20th July 1956.

Sub:-Irrigation - South Kanara District - Increased provision in Second Plan for small schemes - Suggestion by Legislators - Deferred.

Ref:-To the Chief Engineer(Irrigation), Government Memorandum No.21943/56-1 FP.II.B. dated 9-5-56.
From the Chief Engineer(Irrigation)letter No.1634/56-ESR. dated 20-6-56.

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2. The Government have examined the proposal of the Chief Engineer(Irrigation) in para (iii) of his letter second cited for the creation of two Special Investigation Sub-Divisions in South Kanara District and direct that the proposal be deferred for the present. The Chief Engineer is, however, requested to renew the proposal by 1-12-56.

P.Sivasankaran Pillai,
Deputy Secretary to Government(Ex Officio).

To.

The Chief Engineer(Irrigation).
Copy to the Public(Planning and Development)Department(with enclosure).
Copy to Mysore Government(with enclosure).

Forwarded/By Order.

26/7/56
Superintendent.

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True extract from G. No. 395 P&D/56.

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Extract of minutes of the meeting of the Legislators of South Kanara District held at 3 P.M. on 7th March, 1956 in the Committee Room.

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South Kanara

Development of rural electrification and construction of Minor Irrigation works may be given preference over the Maladi Reservoir Project for the Second Five Year Plan period. Rs.60-70 lakhs should be provided for Minor Irrigation and provision for rural electrification should be increased from Rs.83 lakhs to Rs.150 lakhs.

[illegible],
Legislator.
7-3-56.

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[illegible] (F & E) Meeting

During the discussions on the Draft Second Five Year Plan for which at the instance of the Legislative Assembly on 24-[illegible]-55, [illegible] (F [illegible]) even an assurance that he would call for a meeting of the representatives of each district including the members of the Assembly, of the Council [illegible] of the Parliament to discuss the Plan, with special reference to their district. Accordingly, a meeting with the representatives of South Kanara District was held in the Committee Room, Fort St. George, at 3 P.M. on 7th March, 1956 and it was attended by the Development Commissioner and the Minister for (Finance & Education). The following extracts [illegible] the suggestions made at this meeting by the Legislators of South Kanara District with reference to the anticipated break up of the outlay under the Second Five Year Plan in respect of

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7. They will no doubt let this Department also see the case before any decision is taken.

(Id.) T.S.
13-3-56

FW/Agriculture (Food Production) Public (Lands & Development) G.O. 395/56-1 Dated 13-3-56.

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A.S.

Please see the notes of Public (Lands & Development) and page 1-2- ante and the notes of Public Works on page ante. It may be mentioned that 114-61 lakhs have been provided for in the Budget Estimatefor 1956-57 for irrigation ~~from~~ Schemes ~~thereunder~~ under the Special Minor Irrigation Programme for the entire State. The Chief Engineer (Irrigation) has sent a list of schemes viz., continuation and new schemes to be taken up for execution in South Kanara District under Special Minor Irrigation programme, the total cost of which is as detailed below :-

i) Continuation Schemes	Rs.	33.79 lakhs
ii) New Schemes.	Rs.	4.64 lakhs
Total	Rs.	38.43 lakhs

The programmed expenditure during 1956-57 on 'Continuation works' and "New Schemes" is Rs.12.97/- lakhs and Rs.1.07/- lakhs respectively. The suggestion of the legislators representing South Kanara District is to make a provision of 60-80 lakhs in the whole of the Second Plan for execution of Minor Irrigation Schemes in their district alone. It is not known whether the Chief Engineer has enough schemes for South Kanara District for inclusion in the Special Minor Irrigation Programme during 1956-61 to cover the

about Rs.60-80 lakhs. It is for consideration whether the Chief Engineer (Irrigation) may be consulted in this regard as suggested by the Public (Planning & Development) at Minor a/e 2 ante. If this is agreed to, necessary extracts will be taken from this file for pursuing the above suggestion.

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(Id.)S.T. 27-4-56 | CSI 28-4-56 | Id. K.V.K. 1-5-56 as 2. | Id. P.S. 1-5-56. I.S.

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Superintendent.

A.S.

With reference to the orders at 'K' on page 3 ante, a draft memo to the Chief Engineer (Irrigation) is submitted below for approval.

(Id) K.V.K.
8-5-56.

(Issued as Memo. No.21943/56-1 F.P. II B dated 9-5-1956.

D.O. ..... /56-2 F.P. II B dated 9-5-56.)

From the Chief Engineer (Irrigation) Letter No. 1634/56 BLR. dated 20-6-56.

AS.

Please see the extract at page 1-3 ante.

2. In reply to the Govt. memo. at page 1 of Current File (please see the C.E.(I)'s report at P. 5c) while presuming that by Minor Irrigation Works, Government mean only works under the Special Minor Irrigation Programme, the Chief Engineer (Irrigation) has reported that the Special Minor Irrigation Programme is spread over the entire State for which a tentative provision of

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Rs.250/- lakhs has been made in the Plan. The programme for 1956-57 only has been formulated so far and that provides for Rs.8/- lakhs expenditure in South Kanara District. The Chief Engineer (Irrigation) considers that it cannot be forecast at this stage, what schemes are likely to be taken up during the remaining four years of the Second Five Year Plan period for the reasons (i) that schemes especially in South Kanara District require detailed investigation and (2) that there is not much scope for Minor Irrigation works except those connected with sea-water exclusion and replacement of mud - Kattas (Dams) by vented dams, with channels on both sides. He has, however, pointed out that if Rs.60 to 80 lakhs has to be spent on such works during the Second Plan period, two Special Investigation Sub-Divisions will be necessary for investigation and preparation of plans and estimates in advance. In the circumstances, and in view of D at page 5 ante the proposal to sanction any special subordinate sub-divisions for investigation of schemes may be deferred for the present till after reparation is over.

2. Public (Planning & Development) may see for remarks.

(Id.) P.S.
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Public (Planning & Development IV) Dept.

The notes from page 1 ante may be perused. In the revised Draft Proposals, already forwarded to the Planning Commission, the total provision, for the Special Minor Irrigation Programme, reported was Rs.250/- lakhs. Recently the total provision for this scheme has been reduced and resulted in Rs.235/- lakhs, so as to limit the total amount to ..e t..

al 'Minor Irrigation Projects' schemes to Rs.403.80 Lakhs, which is the amount finally accepted and incorporated by the Planning Commission in the National Plan. This reduction is, however, not intended to affect the provision required for the Current Year.

In view of the position explained at M on page 5 ante this Department may agree that no special provision for Minor Irrigation Schemes over and above what has been provided already for the current year for the District, is necessary.

With these remarks, the case may be returned to Agriculture (Food Production)

(Id.) ....
13-7-56.
I./S.

Agriculture (Food Production) Dept.

M.S.

Please see the notes from page 4 ante. The Public (Planning & Development) Department agree with the view expressed at M on page 6 ante. The papers may, therefore, be recorded in a Memo. with a C.B.E. against 1-12-1956, the Chief Engineer being apprised of the position. The Draft Memo. below, providing for this, is submitted for approval.

(Id.) P.S.
20-7-56.
P.S.

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G. Sundaravadanam
Superintendent 27/7/56

Copy of Memorandum 219-3/56-1 F.P. II B Dated 9-5-56 from Agriculture Food Production) Department to the Chief Engineer (Irrigation) Madras.

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Sub: Irrigation - South Kanara District - Increased provisions for irrigation schemes in the District - Suggestion Remarks - Called for.

It has been represented by the legislators of South Kanara District at the time of the meeting of discussions on the Draft Second Five Year Plan, that construction of Minor Irrigation Works in their District should be given preference and that Rs.60/- to to Rs.80/- lakhs should be provided for that purpose in the Second Five Year Plan period. The Chief Engineer (Irrigation) is requested to examine the suggestion and submit a detailed report in the matter with his remarks thereon.

T. Selvasamaran Pillai,
Deputy Secretary to Government (Ex-Officio)

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Superintendent 27/7/56

27/7/56

Copy of Government Memo. No.21943/56-2 F.P., II-B Dated 9-6-56 fromAgriculture (Food Production) Department to the Chief Engineer (Irrigation)

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Sub: Irrigation - South Kanara District - Increased provisions for irrigation schemes in the District - Suggestion Remarks called for.

Read: Government Memo. No. 21943/56-1 F.P. II B Dated 9-5-56

The Attention of the Chief Engineer (Irrigation) is invited to the Government Memo. xxxxx cited and he is requested to expedite the report called for therein.

P. Sivasankaran Pillai,
Deputy Secretary to Government (Ex-Officio

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Superintendent

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Copy of Letter No.1634/56-BER dated the 20th June, 1956, from the Chief Engineer (Irrigation) Chepauk, Madras-5 addressed to the Secretary to Government, Agricultur (Food Production) Department. Chepauk, Madras.

Sub: Irrigation - South Kanara District - Increased provision for irrigation schemes in the District - Suggestion - Remarks called for.

Ref: Agriculture (Food Production) Department Memo. No.21943/56-1 F.P. II-B Dated 9-5-56.

I presume that by Minor Irrigation Works, Government mean only works under the Special Minor Irrigation Programme and in this view, I furnish the following reply:-

i) The Special Minor Irrigation Programme is spread over the entire State. A tentative provision of Rs.250/- lakhs (Rs.50/- lakhs for each year in 2nd Five Year Plan) has been made in the plan. The Programme for 56-57 only has been formulated so far and that provides for Rs.8/- lakhs expenditure in South Kanara District vide my D.O. No. 1430/56-A-7 dated 30-4-56 to Government Public (Planning and Development) Department. It cannot be forecast at this stage, what schemes are likely to be takne up during the remaining four years of the 2nd Five Year Plan priod, as schemes especially in South Kanara District require detailed investigation.

ii) In South Kanara District there is not much scope for Minor-Irrigation works except those connected with seawater exclusion and replacement of mud-kattas (Dams) by vented dams with shutters on both sides.

iii) If Rs.60/- to 80/- lakhs has to be spent on such works during 2nd Plan period, two Special Investigation sub-divisions will be necessary for investigation and preparation of plans and estimates in advance.

for CHIEF ENGINEER (IRRIGATION)

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Superintendent.

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